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MONTANA STATE

BOARD

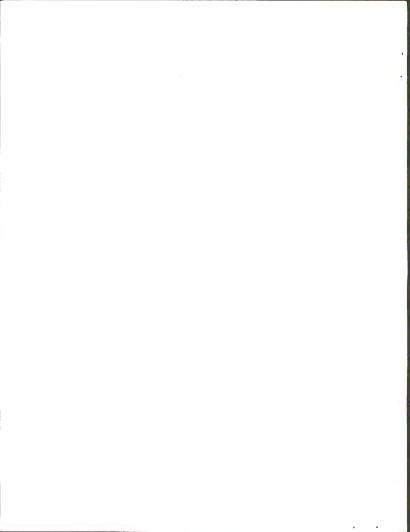
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NURSING

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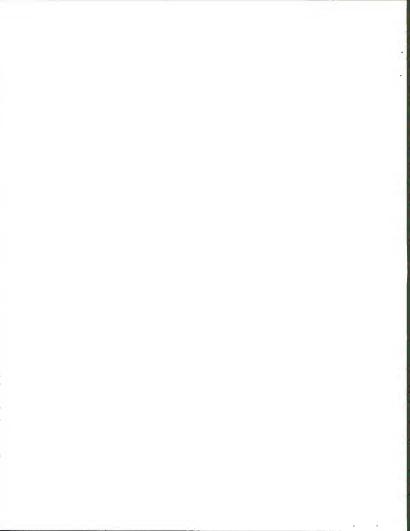
TO

JUNE 30, 1969



## FORWARD

In previous years, the Montana State Board of Nursing has submitted a statistical report containing a fund receipts and disbursements statement, licensing statistics and renewal of licenses statistics. This 1968 - 1969 report contains statistical information as well as reports of other activities of the board, which more truly reflects its functions.



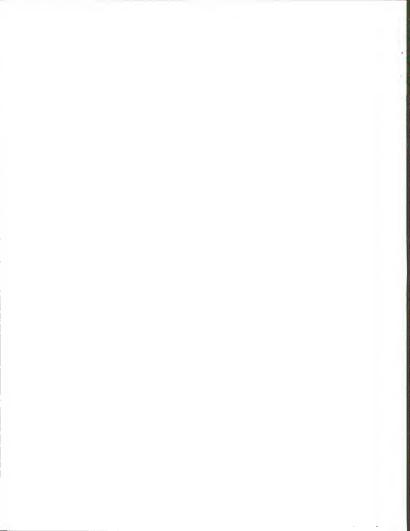
## PURPOSE OF THE BOARD OF NURSING

Revised Codes of Montana, 1947

66-1221. "Purpose. In order to safeguard life and health (a) any person practicing or offering to practice professional nursing in this state for compensation or personal gain, shall be required to submit evidence that he or she is qualified so to practice, and shall be licensed as hereinafter provided; and,

In order to safeguard life and health (b) any person practicing or offering to practice practical nursing in this state for compensation or personal gain shall be required to submit evidence that he or she is qualified so to practice, and shall be licensed as hereinafter provided."

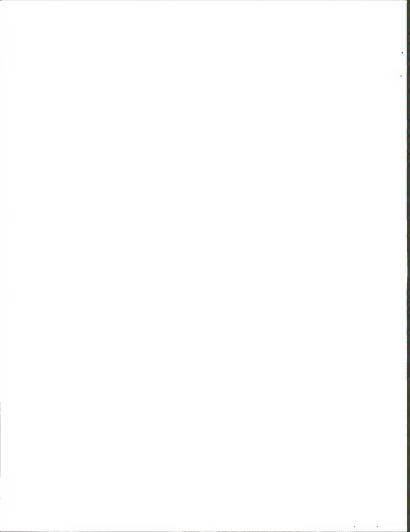
66-1236. "...An institution desiring to conduct a school of professional or practical nursing shall apply to the board...for approval."



#### LEGAL AUTHORIZATION

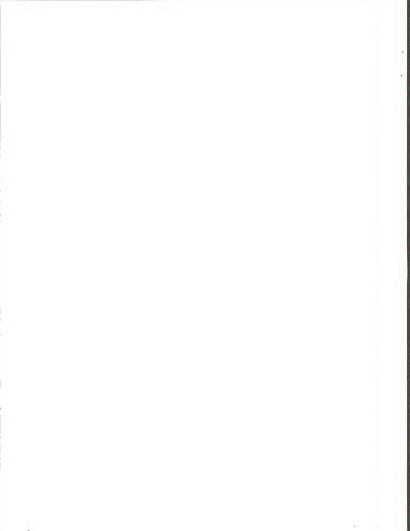
## Revised Codes of Montana, 1947

revise such rules and regulations, not inconsistent with law, and within the subject matter delegated to each administration by this act, as may be necessary to enable the respective administrations to carry into effect the provisions of this act, as delegated to each. The board under each nursing administration shall prescribe such curricula and standards for schools and courses preparing persons for registration and licensure under this act. It shall provide for surveys of such schools and courses at such times as it may deem necessary. It shall approve such schools and courses as meet the requirements of this act and of the board. It shall evaluate and approve courses for affiliation of student nurses. Under each administration the board shall examine, license and renew licenses of duly qualified applicants. It shall conduct hearings upon charges calling for discipline of a licensee or revocation of license or removal of schools of nursing from the approved list. It shall have power to issue subpoenas, and compel the attendance of witnesses, and administer oaths to persons giving testimony at hearings. It shall cause the prosecution of all persons violating this act and have power to incur necessary expenses therefor..."



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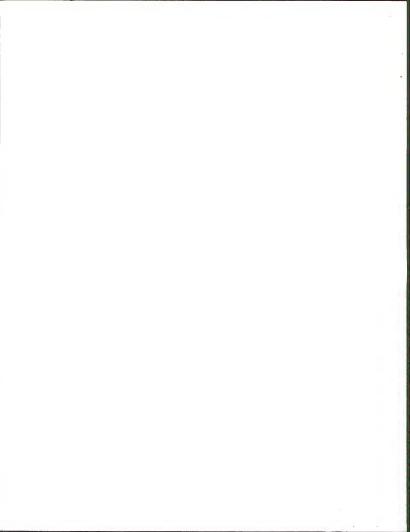
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#### OBJECTIVES

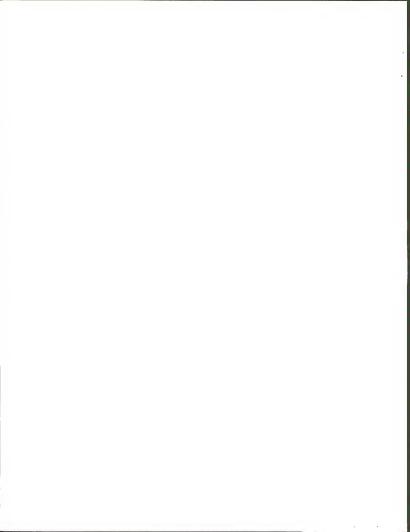
By-laws of the Montana State Board of Nursing

"The objectives of the Board of Nursing shall be to function in the field of professional and practical nursing as an administrative and supervisory agency within the governmental structure providing expert knowledge and understanding of nursing in safeguarding life and health; to formulate standards for nursing education which are based on the public's need for competent practitioners of nursing and which will safeguard the educational preparation of the student; to formulate procedures for evaluation of all educational programs in nursing in Montana which are safeguards to the public and which stimulate the schools of nursing to use better educational practices; to formulate procedures for the licensing of practical nurses which protect the public from incompetent practitioners."

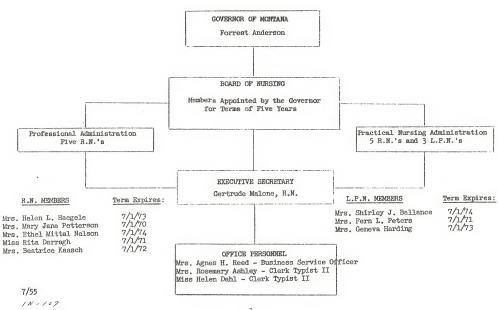


# BOARD MEMBERS AND PERSONNEL

Board Members	Term Expires	Board Members	Term Expires
Mrs. Helen Haegelc, R.N. President Chief Nurse, Veterans Administration Hospital Fort Harrison	7/1/73	Mrs. Fern L. Peters, L.P.N. Staff Nurse Northern Montana Hospital Havre	7/1/71
Mrs. Mary Jane Petterson, R.N. Secretary Head Murse, Recovery Room Billings Deaconess Hospital	7/1/70	Mrs. Geneva Harding, L.P.N. Staff Nurse Valley View Estates Nursing Home, In Hamilton	
Billings		Mrs. Shirley Ballance, L.P.N. Office Nurse	7/1/74
Miss Rita Darragh, R.N. Associate Professor and Assistant Director of Nursing	7/1/71	Lewistown	
Montana State University School of Nursing		Staff	Employed
Bozeman		Mrs. Gertrude Malone, R.N. Executive Secretary	11/15/64
Mrs. Beatrice Kaasch, R.N. Director, St. Vincent's School of Nursing Billings	7/1/72	Mrs. Agnes Reed Administrative Assistant	7/1/47
Mrs. Ethel Nelson, R.N.	7/1/74	Miss Helen Dahl Clerk Typist	7/1/65
Associate Professor Montana State University School of Nursing		Mrs. Rosemary Ashley Clerk Typist	8/1/68
Great Falls		Miss Bonnie Ulmer Work-Study Program	7/1/69



#### MONTANA STATE BOARD OF NURSING



#### APPROVED SCHOOLS OF NURSING

#### Professional

Baccalaureate (4 years)

\*Montana State University - Bozeman

Diploma (27 - 30 months)

\*St. Vincent's - Billings \*St. James Community - Butte (As of July 1, 1968 no new students admitted)

\*St. Patrick - Missoula

Associate Degree (2 years)

Northern Montana College - Havre Miles Community College - Miles City

\*Accredited by the National League for Nursing

## \*Practical

Post-Secondary Vocational Technical School - Billings

Adult Education - Bozeman

Vocational-Technical School - Butte

Vocational-Technical School - Great Falls

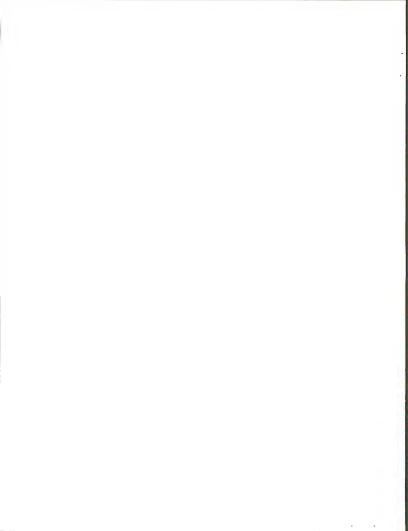
Northern Montana College - Havre

Vocational-Technical School - Helena

Lewistown School of Practical Nursing - Lewistown

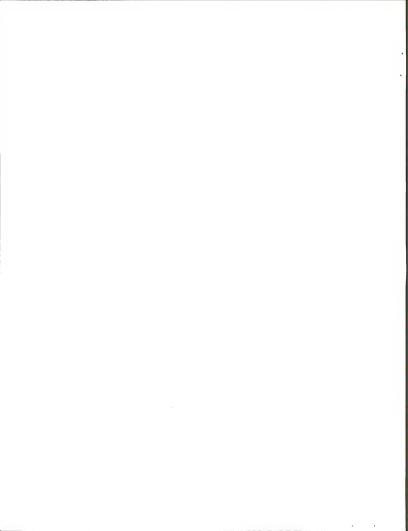
Technical Center - Missoula

\*Even though initial approval has been given by the board, some of these schools may not be able to open in September of 1969 because they are unable to obtain qualified faculty.



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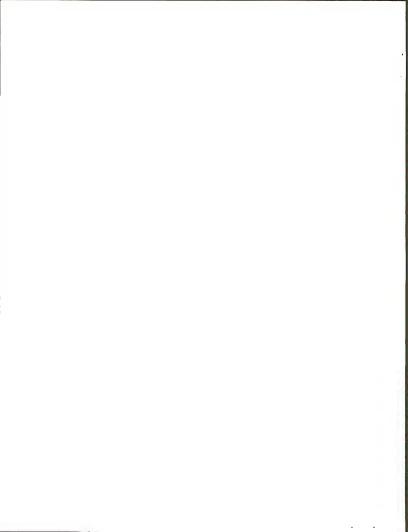




# ADMISSIONS, GRADUATIONS AND ENROLLMENTS IN SCHOOLS OF NURSING

1967 - 1968 National League for Nursing Pub. 19-1349--19-1350

			SCHOOLS		
	Practical	Professional			
		Degree	Associate Degree	Diploma	Total
Number of Programs	5	1	1	3	5
Admissions Sept. 1, 1967 - Aug. 31, 1968	88	134	29	97	260
Graduations Sept. 1, 1967 - Aug. 31, 1968	92	62	20	83	165
Fall Admissions Sept. 1, 1968 - Dec. 31, 1968	123	125	37	91	253
Enrollments Oct. 15, 1968	120	401	47	236	684



## NURSES HOLDING CURRENT MONTANA LICENSURE

# Classified by

# IN STATE AND OUT OF STATE RESIDENCE

June 30, 1969

	R.N.	L.P.N.
In Montana	3948	1194
Out of Montana	514	95
TOTAL	4462	1289

## NURSES NEWLY LICENSED

# Classified by

# ENDORSEMENT AND EXAMINATION

July 1, 1968 - June 30, 1969

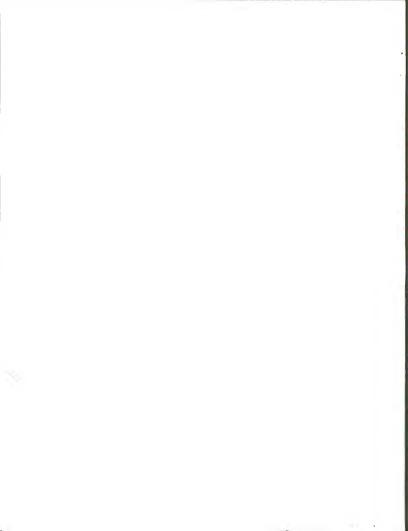
	R.N.	L.P.N.
By Examination	144	238
By Endorsement	174	35
TOTAL	318	273

# Comparison of

# NUMBERS OF RNs AND LPNs CURRENTLY LICENSED

FOR THE FISCAL YEARS OF 1967, 1968 AND 1969

YEAR	R.N.	L.P.N.
1967	4288	845
1968	4396	1095
1969	4462	1289

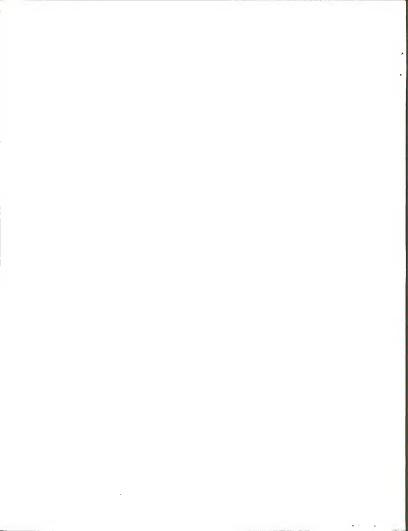


# MONTANA REGISTERED NURSES

# Endorsed To and From Other Jurisdictions July 1, 1968 - June 30, 1969

State	To	From	State	To	From
Alabama	2	1	New Hampshire	_	1
Alaska	2	_	New Jersey	3	ī
Arizona	7	. 2	New Mexico	_	_
Arkansas	_	_	New York	_	9
California	-	7	North Carolina	1	-
Colorado	12	3	North Dakota	2	18
Connecticut	-	1	Ohio	-	3
Delaware	-		Oklahoma	_	í
District of Columbia	-	1	Oregon	4	6
Florida	3	-	Pennsylvania	2	8
Georgia	_	-	Puerto Rico	_	_
Guam	_	_	Rhode Island	_	3
Hawaii	2	_	South Carolina	_	_
Idaho	9	6	South Dakota	1	7
Illinois	1	5	Tennessee	-	1
Indiana	_	4	Texas	3	4
Iowa	1	6	Utah	3	3
Kansas	1	5	Vermont	í	1
Kentucky	-	-	Virgin Islands	_	_
Louisiana	-	-	Virginia	1	-
Maine	_	1	Washington	35	14
Maryland		3	West Virginia	_	_
Massachusetts	1	7	Wisconsin	1	4
Michigan	2	7	Wyoming	2	1
Minnesota	6	16	A73	_	
Mississippi		2	Alberta	3	3
Missouri	_	2	British Columbia Manitoba	-	
Nebraska	_	3 1		-	1
Nevada	2		Saskatchewan		2
Nevaua	2	-			

Totals 113 174 Gain for Montana = 61 RN's



# MONTANA PRACTICAL NU SES

# Endorsed To and From Other Jurisdictions July 1, 1968 - June 30, 1969

State	To	From	State	To	From
Alabama	**	_	Nebraska	_	_
Alaska	1	_	Nevada	1	_
Arizona	2		New Hampshire	_	_
Arkansas	1	1	New Jersey	1	_
California	8	2	New Mexico	_	1
Colorado	6	2	New York	1	_
Connecticut	_	-	North Carolina	-	-
Delaware	_	_	North Dakota	2	6
District of Columbia	_	_	Ohio	-	-
Florida	-	-	Oklahoma	1	_
Georgia	-	-	Oregon	3	1
Guam	-	-	Pennsylvania	_	-
Hawaii	-	-	Puerto Rico	-	-
Idaho	1	2	Rhode Island	1	-
Illinois	-	1	South Carolina	_	_
Indiana	1	-	South Dakota	2	3
Iowa	-	1	Tennessee	_	-
Kansas	-	-	Texas	1	-
Kentucky	-	-	Utah	2	2
Louisiana	_	-	Vermont	_	-
Maine	-	-	Virgin Islands	_	-
Maryland	-	-	Virginia	-	-
Massachusetts	_	_	Washington	18	6
Michigan	_	1	West Virginia	_	_
Minnesota	2	2	Wisconsin	_	-
Mississippi	_	1	Wyoming	1	2
Missouri	1	***	Saskatchewan	ī	2
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Loss to Montana = 24 LPN's

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Totals

